

SE97 RDD Survey Instrument Variable name by question, with description.

Items on the questionnaire that the angler does not know the answer to are coded with "8"'s. Items that are refused are coded with "9"'s. If interviewer is not certain respondent is at least 16 yrs of age, simply ask respondent if he/she is at least 16 yrs of age. If < 16 yrs of age, then thank respondent and terminate.

1997-98 Southeast Economic RDD Telephone Add-on Variable Names and Definitions

Version A (for Category 2 and 3 anglers)

Question	Variable	Type	Length	Definition/Label
1-2	CATEGORY	Num	8	Category of angler indicating when angler last fished (PART I)
3	REASON	Num	8	Reason for Not Fishing - Respondent will be asked for the primary reason why they have not fishing within the past 2/12 months. The interviewer will code the response to the open-ended question according to the list provided. (PART II)
	REASON_O	Char	30	"Other" reason for not fishing.
For questions 4-6, a species from a pre-determined list will be randomly inserted. The list will vary by sub-region.				
---	CB_SPEC	Char	10	Species for random insertion into contingent behavioral questions 4-6
4	REG_CHG	Num	8	Regulation-induced Behavior Change - Enter whether the regulations on the specific species have caused the angler to change the number of trips they normally take. Code yes A1" and proceed with questions 2a and 2b or 2c, as appropriate. Code no A2" and go to question 5.
a	REG_DIR	Num	8	Direction of Behavior Change - Enter whether the number of trips the angler normally takes as a result of the regulations has increased (code A1") or decreased (code A2").
b	REG_DAYS	Num	8	Number of Increased Trips - Enter the amount of increase in the number of trips the angler normally takes as a result of regulation.
c	REG_DAYS	Num	8	Number of Decreased Trips - Enter the amount of decrease in the number of trips the angler normally takes as a result of regulation.
5	CR_CHG	Num	8	Catch-rate-induced Behavior Change - Enter whether the catch-rate of the specific species has caused the angler to change the number of trips they normally take. Code yes A1" and proceed with questions 3a and 3b or 3c, as appropriate. Code no A2" and go to question 6.
a	CR_DIR	Num	8	Direction of Behavior Change - Enter whether the number of trips the angler normally takes as a result of the catch-rate has increased (code A1") or decreased (code A2").
b	CR_DAYS	Num	8	Number of Increased Trips - Enter the amount of increase in the number of trips the angler normally takes as a result of the catch-rate.
c	CR_DAYS	Num	8	Number of Decreased Trips - Enter the amount of decrease in the number of trips the angler normally takes as a result of the catch-rate.
6	NEW_TAR	Num	8	Change in Target Behavior - Enter whether the catch-rate or management of the specific species has caused the angler to change their target behavior. Code yes A1" and proceed to question 4a. Code no A2" and go to question 7.
a	TAR_SP	Char	10	New Target - Enter the new species targeted.
7	SUC_EXP	Num	8	Success Expectation - Enter whether the angler expects to catch and keep the legal bag limit for the species he/she generally targets. Code yes A1", no A2" and don't target A3".
8	ENFORCE	Num	8	Enforcement - Angler is asked if he/she has ever observed an enforcement officer inspect licenses or catch. If an angler's answer is yes, code "1". If no, code "2".
9	BOATOWN	Num	8	Boat Ownership - Angler is asked if he/she currently owns a boat that is ever used for recreational saltwater fishing. If an angler's answer is yes, code "1"; If no, code "2".

10	AGE	Num	8	Age in years
	AGEGRP	Num	8	Age, defined as age categories
11	GENDER	Num	8	Gender
12	ETHNIC	Num	8	Race
	ETH_OTH	Char	30	Other race
13	SPANORIG	Num	8	Whether of Spanish or Hispanic origin
13a	SPAN_GRP	Num	8	Which Spanish or Hispanic group
	SPANOTH	Char	30	Other Spanish group origin
14	EMPLOYED	Num	8	Employment – Angler is asked whether or not they are employed. If answer is yes, code “1” and proceed to 14a; If no, code “2” and proceed to 14b. If unknown or didn’t know, proceed to 15.
14a	PARTFULL	Num	8	Part-time or full-time employed, go to 15
14b	NOWORK	Num	8	Reason for unemployment
	NOWORK_O	Char	30	Other why unemployed
15	HHINC	Num	8	Household annual income before taxes
Misc	CNTY_RES	Num	8	County of residence
	CODENUM	Num	8	Household ID
	DATE_INT	Char	6	Date of interview
	DAY	Num	8	Day interviewed
	MONTH	Num	8	Month interviewed
	REG_RES	Num	8	Region of residence
	ST_RES	Num	8	State of residence
	SURTYP	Char	1	Survey type or version (A or B)
	WAVE	Num	8	Wave
	YEAR	Num	8	Year

Version B

Interviewers will ask these questions of those individuals who fished in saltwater in the last two months (routine MRFSS trip questionnaire respondents). Question 1 shall be asked for each trip, following the MRFSS question that determines the mode of the trip. All other questions will be asked at the end of the survey. If interviewer is uncertain angler is at least 16 yrs of age, simply ask respondent if he/she is at least 16 yrs of age. If < 16 yrs of age, then terminate and thank respondent.

Version B (For Category 4 anglers)

Question	Variable	Type	Length	Definition/Label
1	TARGET1	Char	10	Target Species - Interviewer shall ask if angler targeted a particular kind of fish on that trip. Up to 2 target species shall be entered. Do not prompt for the second species, i.e. if only one species is mentioned only one species is entered. A list of commonly mentioned species preferences will be provided to ensure consistent spelling or to allow programming to provide a list to interviewers for quicker coding. "Anything" or no preference is a valid answer.
	TARGET2	Char	10	Second species targeted
2	TRIP_YR	Num	8	Number of Trips in Past 12 Months - Interviewer shall ask how many saltwater fishing trips an angler took within the past 12 months.
3	TARG_TRP	Num	8	Trips Targeting Species of Interest - Interviewer shall ask on how many of those trips did the angler target any of the selected species (or no species).
4	SELLFISH	Num	8	Do they ever sell recreationally caught fish?
4a	RXN_SELL	Num	8	Reaction to Sales Prohibition - Read the response options and ask the angler to identify his behavioral response to a prohibition on the

				sales of fish landed by recreational anglers.
5	BOATOWN	Num	8	Boat Ownership - Angler is asked if he/she currently owns a boat that is ever used for recreational saltwater fishing. If an angler's answer is yes, code "1"; If no, code "2".
6	AGE	Num	8	Age in years
	AGEGRP	Num	8	Age, defined as age categories
7	GENDER	Num	8	Gender
8	ETHNIC	Num	8	Race
	ETH_OTH	Char	30	Other race
9	SPANORIG	Num	8	Whether of Spanish or Hispanic origin
9a	SPAN_GRP	Num	8	Which Spanish or Hispanic group
	SPANOTH	Char	30	Other Spanish group origin
10	EMPLOYED	Num	8	Employment – Angler is asked whether or not they are employed. If answer is yes, code “1” and proceed to 10a; If no, code “2” and proceed to 10b.
10a	PARTFULL	Num	8	Part-time or full-time employed
10b	NOWORK	Num	8	Reason for unemployment
	NOWORK_O	Char	30	Other why unemployed
11	HHINC	Num	8	Household annual income before taxes
Misc	CNTY_RES	Num	8	County of residence
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	WAVE	Num	8	Wave
	YEAR	Num	8	Year